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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For:	METHOD OF DATA PROTECTION		

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the Office Action dated August 23, 2006 in the above application. In view of the following remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested. This response is timely in view of a Petition to enlarge the shortened statutory period for response submitted herewith, including the requisite fee.